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Re: Office communication dated Feb. 11, 2005; US Patent Application 10/696,617 filed 10/29/2003, Examiner: Walberg, Teresa J., Art Unit 3742.

In according to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated Feb. 11, 2005 please find the following corrected section "Amendments to the claims".

Claim listing:

Claims 1 - 9 (canceled);

Claim 10 (new). A multi-heat-sink cooler for at least two electronic components comprising at least two heat-sinks with heat-exchanging means, a radial blower and a housing, wherein:

- (i) each of said heat-sinks comprising a base being thermally connected with at least one of said electronic component and said heat-exchanging means, and at least one inflow opening and an outflow opening;
- (ii) said radial blower comprising an impeller and a casing with an inlet and an outlet;
- (iii) said housing comprising a cover plate with an opening being coincided with at least a part of said inlet;
- (iv) said cover plate being attached to said heat-sinks from the side opposite to said base;
- (v) said inflow opening being located at the side part of said heat-sink, said outflow opening being coincided with said opening of said cover plate, thus cooling air flows through said inflow opening, said heat-exchanging means, said outflow opening, said inlet, said impeller and said outlet in a series way.

Claim 11 (new). The cooler as claimed in claim 1, wherein said heat-exchanging means are fins and/or pins - fins structure.

Claim 12 (new). The cooler as claimed in claim 1, wherein said cover plate being placed in a recess made at a top part of said heat-sinks, thus said radial blower being at least partially placed into said recess.

Claim 13 (new). The cooler as claimed in claim 1, wherein said opening of said cover plate being located at top parts of said heatsinks.

Claim 14 (new). The cooler as claimed in claim 1, wherein said opening of said cover plate being at least partially placed aside from top parts of said heatsinks.

Claim 15 (new). The cooler as claimed in claim 5, wherein each of said heatsinks from the side opposite to said inflow opening hydraulically connected by a combined collector with at least part of said opening of said cover plate, thus cooling air flows through said inflow openings, said heat-exchanging means, said outflow opening and said combined collector, said inlet, said impeller and said outlet in a series way.

Claim 16 (new). The cooler as claimed in claim 1, wherein at least one sealing element being placed into the space between said adjacent heatsinks, thus excluding the direct flow from ambient air to said inlet.

Claim 17 (new). The cooler as claimed in claim 1, wherein said cooler further comprising at least one compensating element from elastic material located between said cover plate and said heatsinks, thus compensating the differences in locations and tolerances of said heatsinks.

Claim 18 (new). The cooler as claimed in claim 8, wherein said compensating element being made from high thermal conductive material and thermally connected with said heat-exchanging means.

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Best regards,

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1. A Change of Correspondence Address Form (PTO/SB/122) -1 pg.;
2. A Statement Under 37 CFR 3.73(b) - 2 pg.;